



Docket No. 1232-4527

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Nagata et al.

Group Art Unit: 2615

Serial No.: 09/281,164

Examiner: Tran

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For: OPTICAL DEVICE

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed October 5, 2004, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in view of the following amendments and remarks. A petition and fee for a one month extension of time is dispatched herewith. No additional fees are believed due in connection with this response. However, in the event any additional fees are necessitated by this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge our deposit account no. 13-4500, order no. 1232-4527.

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